

# FOOD PURCHASE REPORT

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PURCHASE AND OFFER TO BUY: TURKEY AND TURKEY PRODUCTS; PURCHASES OF TURKEY ROASTS AND TURKEY HAMS NEARING END

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) today purchased 984,000 pounds of turkey and turkey products at a cost of approximately \$907,000 for school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Details of today's purchase follow:

Product	Pounds	Awarded Prices Inv. No. 17	No. of Bids Accepted
bulk pack	144,000	\$0.5490-\$0.5789	2 of 7
roasts	680,000	\$0.9780-\$1.0404	2 of 7
hams	160,000	\$0.8488-\$0.8577	2 of 5

It was also announced that purchases of turkey roasts and turkey hams are nearing end.

Total purchases of turkey and turkey products since the program was announced on May 7, 2002, follow:

Product	Cumulative Pounds	Cumulative Dollars
consumer pack	3,572,000	\$ 1,999,000
bulk pack	16,488,000	\$ 9,336,000
roasts	21,120,000	\$24,315,000
hams	12,520,000	\$10,582,000

Next offers under Announcement PY-258 are due by 12 noon, Central Time, on the following date:

Inv. Number	Product Type	Offer Date	Acceptance Not Later Than Date	Delivery Period
18	bulk pack, hams, and roasts	Feb. 3	Feb. 7	March 16-31

Inquiries may be made by telephoning (202) 720-7693 or addressing the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, D.C. 20250. An electronic version of this Food Purchase Report can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

The awards for turkey and turkey products made today under Announcement PY-258, Invitation 17, to be delivered from March 1 to March 15, follow:

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY258  
COMM GROUP : TURKEY, FROZEN  
INVITATION : 017  
COMMODITY TYPE : TURKEY, FRESH/FROZEN, BULK  
PACK SIZE : BULK PACKED

CONTRACTOR NAME: FOSTER FARMS  
PLANT ADDRESS : TURLOCK CA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
003	TURLOCK CA	36,000	\$ 0.5789 *See note.

TOTAL AWARDED: 36,000

**\*Note:** No weight variation will be allowed for purchase units under this item number. Any purchase unit weighing less than 36,000 pounds will be rejected.

CONTRACTOR NAME: PILGRIM'S PRIDE CORP.  
PLANT ADDRESS : HINTON VA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
001	ROME GA	72,000	\$ 0.5490
002	WATERTOWN SD	36,000	\$ 0.5490

TOTAL AWARDED: 108,000

COMMODITY TYPE : TURKEY, ROAST, FROZEN  
PACK SIZE : 32-48 LB CONTAINER

CONTRACTOR NAME: JENNIE-O FOODS, INC.  
PLANT ADDRESS : PELICAN RAPIDS MN

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
014	LOS ANGELES CA	80,000	\$ 1.0404
015	LOS ANGELES CA	10,000	\$ 1.0404
	POMONA CA	30,000	\$ 1.0404
016	SACRAMENTO CA	40,000	\$ 1.0404
017	VERNON CA	40,000	\$ 1.0404

TOTAL AWARDED: 200,000

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY258  
COMM GROUP : TURKEY, FROZEN  
INVITATION : 017  
COMMODITY TYPE : TURKEY, ROAST, FROZEN  
PACK SIZE : 32-48 LB CONTAINER

CONTRACTOR NAME: PILGRIM'S PRIDE CORP.  
PLANT ADDRESS : NEW OXFORD PA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
004	LINCOLN RI	40,000	\$ 0.9956
005	PORT NEWARK NJ	40,000	\$ 0.9788
006	PORT NEWARK NJ	20,000	\$ 0.9790
	VINELAND NJ	20,000	\$ 0.9790
007	VINELAND NJ	40,000	\$ 0.9780
008	MIAMI FL	30,000	\$ 0.9988
	WINTER HAVEN FL	10,000	\$ 0.9988
009	BATESVILLE MS	30,000	\$ 0.9988
	JACKSON MS	10,000	\$ 0.9988
010	NEWPORT MN	40,000	\$ 1.0188
011	ALEXANDRIA LA	23,800	\$ 1.0150
	HARAHAN LA	16,200	\$ 1.0150
012	ALBUQUERQUE NM	80,000	\$ 1.0288
013	GRAND PRAIRIE TX	80,000	\$ 1.0163

TOTAL AWARDED: 480,000

COMMODITY TYPE : TURKEY HAMS, SMOKED, FRZ  
PACK SIZE : 40-LB CONTAINER

CONTRACTOR NAME: HOUSE OF RAEFORD FARMS, INC.  
PLANT ADDRESS : RAEFORD NC

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
019	JACKSON MS	40,000	\$ 0.8577
021	BATON ROUGE LA	22,200	\$ 0.8577
	HARAHAN LA	17,800	\$ 0.8577

TOTAL AWARDED: 80,000

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY258  
COMM GROUP : TURKEY, FROZEN  
INVITATION : 017  
COMMODITY TYPE : TURKEY HAMS, SMOKED, FRZ  
PACK SIZE : 40-LB CONTAINER

CONTRACTOR NAME: PILGRIM'S PRIDE CORP.  
PLANT ADDRESS : FRANCONIA PA

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
018	ATLANTA GA	30,000	\$ 0.8488
	CONYERS GA	10,000	\$ 0.8488
020	ALCOA TN	26,132	\$ 0.8488
	MEMPHIS TN	13,868	\$ 0.8488

TOTAL AWARDED: 80,000

On January 21, additional awards were made to the following participants under the Small Business Administration's 8(a) program:

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY258  
COMM GROUP : TURKEY, FROZEN  
INVITATION : 916  
COMMODITY TYPE : TURKEY, FRESH/FROZEN, BULK  
PACK SIZE : BULK PACKED

CONTRACTOR NAME: IMPERIAL SALES CO.  
PLANT ADDRESS : WATERTOWN SD

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
001	WATERTOWN SD	180,000	\$ 0.5520

TOTAL AWARDED: 180,000

CONTRACTOR NAME: MIL-RAY FOOD COMPANY, INC.  
PLANT ADDRESS : WATERTOWN SD

ITEM NUM	-----DESTINATION----- CITY ST	QUANTITY (LBS )	PRICE PER (LB )
001	WATERTOWN SD	180,000	\$ 0.5520

TOTAL AWARDED: 180,000

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